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In Re Patent Application of: :
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Title: HYDRODYNAMIC BEARING AND DISK RECORDING/REPRODUCING
APPARATUS HAVING A VENT INSIDE A FIXED SHAFT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including October 30, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed April 28, 2006. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ __.00 is enclosed herewith.

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